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SUBJECT: GDR VISA REQUIREMENT FOR EAST BERLIN

FOLLOWING IS THAT PORTION OF DEPT NOON PRESS BRIEFING
JAN 7 CONCERNING BERLIN:

QUOTE:

Q DO YOU HAVE ANYTHING ON THE BERLIN SITUATION?

A WE HAD ADDRESSED THAT RATHER COMPLETELY YESTERDAY, AND
THERE WAS A STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE BONN GROUP YESTERDAY.

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Q OH, THERE WAS A STATEMENT.

A YES.

Q I DIDN'T SEE THAT.

A. IF YOU HAVE ANOTHER QUESTION FLOWING FROM THAT I WILL

TRY TO ANSWER IT.

Q YES. IS THE UNITED STATES CONSIDERING CONVENING OF THE

FOUR POWERS AS ENVISIONED IN 1971 -- THE FOUR POWER AGREEMENT?

A I AM NOT AWARE OF THAT, BUT LET ME CHECK INTO IT.

Q WELL, HAS THE UNITED STATES ENVISIONED ANY FURTHER ACTION AT ALL, EITHER IN THE FORM OF A BILATERAL PROTEST OR A GROUP PROTEST?

A FIRST, WE CONSIDER THE STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE BONN GROUP A PROTEST -- IN THE FIRST PLACE -- AND, SECONDLY, WE EXPECT THE EAST GERMANS TO RESCIND THE ACTIONS THEY HAD TAKEN IN CONFORMITY WITH THE STATUS OF BERLIN. AND, FINALLY, ABOUT FUTURE STEPS, I WOULD EXPECT THAT WE WOULD BE RAISING THIS ISSUE WITH THE SOVIET UNION DIRECTLY. UNQUOTE.

(FOLLOWING ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN WAS POSTED BY PRESS OFFICE FOLLOWING BRIEFING: QTE THERE ARE NO PLANS AT THIS TIME TO REQUEST SUCH A MEETING UNQTE.)
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